The News of Brooklyn

IN THE SOCIAL WORLD.

MINOR INCIDENTS OCCUPYING TIME AND ATTENTION DURING LENT.

of the most pleasant of the week's affairs was ne twenty-fourth annual dinner of the Polytechnic Alumni Association, which was given in the Ger-Club Rooms, in Schermerhorn-st., on Thurs-ening. The tables were set in the large banhall on the third floor, and music was supplied by a fine orchestra. Before the dinner the follow flicers were elected: Frank H. Parsons, presi dent; William F. Dudley, first vice-president; D. C. Weld, jr., second vice-president; Walter C. Kimball, recording secretary; John L. Bliss, corresponding H. Howard M. Williams, treasurer Those at the guests' tables were the outgoing president of the association, Theodore L. Frothinkham; Justice Williard Bartlett, Park Commissioner Timothy L. Woodruff, William B. Davenport, Dr. David H. Cochran, president of the Polytechnic: Professor Plympton, Thomas S. Moore, the Rev. Lindsay Parker, D. D.; William V. Tupper, DeWitt Bailey and Professor E. C. Seymöur. Among those present were Mark B. Waterman, A. J. Griffin, W. T. Dorffinger, L. S. Webb, H. A. Ackermann, F. W. Chandier, G. Wyncoop, F. R. Barnard, J. G. Underhill, A. W. Berresford, C. S. Potts, R. L. Sherer, B. Gerade, W. Bliss, D. H. Cochran, ir, A. Treadwell, W. Frothingham, Dr. Burnett, R. Van Iderstein, R. Mason, R. Swezey, S. Brown, William A. White, H. Snow, H. McWilliams, Duncen Edwards, Professors Collins, Corteaux, Hertzberg, Kellogg, Sheldon, Seymour, Rufus, Austin and Sorthrop, Addresses were made by several well-known Brooklyn people, and the many excellencies of "Old Poly" were fully and freely described.

The Herkimer Social Club, one of the institutions of the Bedford District, gave a reception on Thursday evening at the home of Miss Bessle Waish. No. 142 McDonough-st. The club has been organized over three years, and has a large membership. The officers are: President. Arthur Freese; vice-president, Miss Emma C. Waish; secretary, Charles J. Brown; treasurer, Miss May Koch.

A delightful entertainment was given by the Hoady Musical Society, in Columbia Hall, on the even of Thursday. Since the society was organized in 1893, it has given three musicals, all of which have been successful. The first part of the evening have been successful. The first part of the evening was taken up with a choice programme. After this had been finished the floor was cleared and dancing was enjoyed until a late hour. Following are the officers of the society: President, P. L. Hoadley: vice-president, George R. Couch: honorary vice-president, W. R. Christmas; secretary, William P. Hannister: treasurer. H. S. Staudinger: conductor, Carl Venth; concert master, Bethune W. Jones; librarian, R. E. Miller; assistant librarian, E. J. Hewlett; counsel, F. L. Dallon.

Luncheons at present occupy a large share of attention of society women. Among those in pros-pect is one to be given by Mrs. Robert B. Wood-ward, of Pierrepont-st., on Tuesday next, and an-other by Mrs. Sturgis Coffin, on Monday, March 16. Mrs. Benjamin Flint, of Montague Terrace, enter-tained Mrs. George White Field's Literary Club on Thursday, Mrs. Field has organized a Debutantes' Literary Club, which meets on Tuesday mornings at Mrs. Sidney V. Lowell's.

Miss Beth Emma McClannin, of Vernon-ave. who is to be married to Dr. Charles Gilmore Ker ley, of New-York, on April 15, gave a green-and-white luncheon for her six bridesmaids and maid of honor on Wednesday afternoon. The guests in-cluded Miss Paddock, Miss Allen and Miss Rey-noids, of New-York, and Miss Merritt, Miss Le Fevre and Miss Gregory, of Brooklyn. The maid of honor is to be Miss Dalsy Victoria Hinman, of

entertained by the Misses Nutting, of South Ox-ford-st., on Friday evening of last week at a dance The supper table was artistically decorated in pink the guests were Miss Edna M. Greene, Miss Bertha Bidwell, Miss Fifi Quick, Miss Mac Adam, Miss Marion MacAdam, Miss Adele Beck, Miss Maynard, Miss MacKay, Miss Gwendolyn Bur-Misses Brune, the Misses Tredwell, the Misses Brower, Miss Louise Brown, Miss W. Rogers, Miss cRogers, Miss Lillian Webb, Miss Kinzey, Mr. W. Toerge, Louis Phipps, Palmer Jadwin, G Mr. Ogilvic, Franklin Schenck, C. Cropsey and Mr. Shepherd, of Brooklyn: Clarence Lowther, E. Ormonde Power, A. Harlan Seaver, Lewis T. Knox, Willard C. Reid, George MacAdam, A. L. Shipman, G. Walker, R. D. Bardwell, Dr. Holcomb, Alexander C. Connor and E. Clark Brown, of New-York.

the society, and G. W. Wensley on behalf of the Young People's and Christian Endeavor societies. The speaker's were introduced by H. C. Goil, presi-dent of the Young People's Association.

The Lenten Theatre Club had its first theatre tended Daly's, in New-York. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Edward L. Rossiter, Mr. and Mrs. Chester I. Richards, Miss Perego, Miss Brighton, Miss Wilson, Miss Maud Wilson, Horace M. Drake, A. Hatfield, Jr., Charles L. Schenck, Charles M. Woods and John C. Thompson.

Mrs. Sidney V. Lowell's, on Columbia Heights, every ship Mrs. Francis E. Dodge, Mrs. Eben J. Knowlton Ship Mrs. Francis E. Dodge, Mrs. Freel J. Roberts, Mrs. Lowell, Mme. De Mell, Mrs. Sturgis Coffin Mrs. L. Hastings Arnold, Mrs. James L. Morgan fr., Mrs. William M. Van Anden, Mrs. Camden C. Dike, Mrs. William P. Mason, Mrs. Frank South wick and Mrs. John E. Tousey.

The "In Duty Bound" Circle of King's Daughters connected with the Throop Avenue Presbyterian church parlors on Tuesday evening, presenting "The gramme. Those who assisted in the affair were Miss Adele M. Ostermayer, Miss Olive Rippingale, Frank P. Hague. Rod Conklin, Mrs. Edward H. Libby, Miss C. Olga Schelker, Miss May Dreeks, Miss Isabel Culbert, Miss Elizabeth Van Veghten, Miss Clara Hess, Miss Frances Freestone and Miss Madge Culbert. The proceeds will go to aid the work of the circle.

There was an illustrated lecture on anthropology, dance, a concert and a supper at the Knickerbocker Field Club, of Flatbush, on Wednesday night, when the prizes were presented to the winning teams in the home bowling tournament. There were twelve teams of five men each, representing all the races, teams of five women each, representing as many species of fragrant and lovely flowers that grow only in the United States. The men appeared in the national costumes. The women were the flowers by which their teams were distinguished. It was the most attractive entertainment ever attempted by the club. Six hundred invitations had been sent out, and despite the storm, the music hall of the clubhouse was crowded.

The regular monthly meeting of the Wawonda So ety was held on Thursday evening at the home of dr. and Mrs. John Clark, No. 85 First Place. Prep arations for a progressive euchre party were made date. After the business of the meeting had been

The Park Slope Euchre Club held its sixth meet ing of the season at the home of Miss Schoemjahn, No. 822 Union-st., on Monday evening. The games

One of the most successful clubs of young society people of the Heights is a bowling club, organized by Miss Minnie Gibb, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. howard Gibb, which meets in the private bowling alley at her father's stable every Saturday evening. The members of the club are Miss Knowlton, Miss Beaman, Miss Candler, Miss Esther Howard, Miss Flora Gibb, Miss Edith Gibb, Miss Burgess, of New-York; Juan A. Bmith, Norman S. Dike, John C. Powers, Frank Van Anden, Wyllys Terry, Robert B: Woodwerd, Rait Richardson and Victor Barnes.

A subscription progressive euchre party and dance Hotel on Friday night by a number of young so clety people. It was arranged by a committee com-posed of Miss Ethel Kenneth, Alice Freeman and May Hoar. Among the patronesses are Mrs. Fred-My Hoar. Among the patronesses are Mrs. Fred-rick H. Webster, Mrs. Percy G. Williams, Mrs. Howard O. Wood, Mrs. F. Cochran and Mrs. Dud-eigh Webber. Among those present were Miss Jannekin, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Tripp, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Carscallen, C. H. Hunt, Jr. Frank J. Hall, Herbert Worthly, James M. Woolworth, Mrs. Henry Kaiser and Mrs. and Mrs. John Johny. The surplus of the proceeds will be de-cred to some charitable object. About two hun-red papels were present.

tions for membership. Letters from Philadelphia, Boston and New-York clubs of a similar nature, congratulating the Brooklyn Writers' Club, and expressing good wishes, were read by the president, Frank Lee Farnell. A letter from Will Carlton was also read. The paxt social gathering will be held at the house of Mrs. Ruth Everett, No. 809 Putnamave, on Thursday evening, March 18. There will be music, recitations and a brief address of advice to young writers.

CONSOLIDATION IN THE DARK

MEMBERS OF UNION LEAGUE CLUB SIGN A PETITION AGAINST IT.

THEY WANT THE QUESTION RESUBMITTED, OR ELSE TO HAVE A REFERENDUM OF

THE TERMS. In the Union League Club there is a paper signed by a number of members, in which protest is made against "consolidation in the dark." The paper begins in the following manner: "We, the un city of Brooklyn, respectfully petition the Legisla-ture to take no final action of any kind on the subject of consolidation with New-York, until the mat-ter shall have been submitted to the people of Brooklyn for further expression of their opinion, either by a resubmission of the main question of consolidation, or by a referendum of the terms of

Among the signers of this petition are D. G. Har-Among the signers of this petition are D. G. Harriman, J. P. Carey, Irving L. Bragdon, I. S. Olgivie, Dr. George W. Brush, William J. Harding, W. R. Adams, Walker Gibson, Stephen H. Mills, J. K. Wells, Charles H. Littlefield, Homer L. Bartlett, D. S. Wells, Dr. J. M. Winnield, F. H. Cowperthwalt, H. L. Paimer, C. C. Skilton, J. W. Cooper, Adam H. Leich, W. R. Walkley, Benjamin F. Blair, Walter B. Atterbury, A. K. Powell, George H. Pettit, Dr. Charles Dwight Napler, George H. Roberts, Jr., Frank Squier, Alexis C. Smith, George G. Reynolds, Leorard R. Welles, J. H. Ruggles, Henry De-Witt Hamilton, George P. Clark, George W. Wilson and W. E. Puisifer.

In the body of the petition the word "no," preceding "final action," seems to have been crossed out, evidently by some consolidationist.

E. L. GRAEF'S GENEROUS GIFT.

HIS ENTOMOLOGICAL COLLECTION TO GO TO THE INSTITUTE.

WHEN PRESENT ARRANGEMENTS ARE COM-PLETED THERE WILL BE AN UNEQUALLED

The Board of Trustees of the Brooklyn Institute of Arts and Sciences held a meeting on Friday chief of which was the securing of Berthold Neumosgen's valuable collection of butterfiles. Edward ber of the Institute, has promised that he will present his entire collection of butterfiles to the Institute, provided it will purchase the Neumoeprises between 40,000 and 45,000 classified specimens It contains nearly 14,000 species and upward of 1,000 in the country. Its 1,000 type specimens give it first rank for value in this country, and an equal rank the collection in the British Museum. Graef's collection is particularly rich in American

species, and has cost the collector fully \$10,000.

The Department of Entomology of the Institute. upon hearing of Mr. Graef's generous offer, appointed a committee, who talked with Jacob Doll, the earned from him that he would sell his own collection of insects, containing 30,000 classified 25,000 duplicate specimens, for \$3,000, and would continue in his office as curator for a small salary. A collection made up of the cabinets of Neumoegen, Graef and Dell would make a total of 110,000 specimens, which would cost the Institute \$20,000. Professor Hooper, in his report, says, regarding this

"Were the institute to secure these collections they would, together with the Calverly collection, already in the possession of the Institute, make ours at once the foremost institution not only of this A reception was given for the Rev. J. C. Wilson, the new pastor of Puritan Congregational Church, and his wife on Tuesday evening in the Sunday-school-room. The entertainment was furnished by Mr. Davison, Miss Pfeiffer and Charles Stewart Phillips. C. C. Hall made an address of welcome on behalf of the courter, Asa A. Spear on behalf of the Sunday of the

THE BARNARD CLUB ORGANIZED.

IT WILL BE CONDUCTED AFTER THE NEW-YORK SOCIETY OF THAT NAME.

There was a fashionable gathering in the Packer Mansion, which overlooks New-York Bay and the East River, at Grace Court, yesterday afternoon. The assemblage was for the purpose of organizing a society, which will be known as the Barnard Club, and which will have for its object the promotion of the social interests of its members, and the interests of Barnard College, Mrs. William Packard, whose mother founded the well-known collegiate institution in this city for young women. and Miss Packer are the leading organizers of the new club. The club will be conducted similar to the organization which bears the same name in

n the Carnegie Building. When Seth Low made his gift of \$1,000,000 to Columbia and Barnard colleges, he suggested to the trustees that they should offer twenty-four of the cholarships to Brooklyn, and, as a member of the scholarsnips to Broadyn, and, as a member of the scholarsnips to Broadyn, and, as a member of the little scholarsnips of the litt newly organized club said yesterday, that is where

TWO MEN TO BE ON FRONT PLATFORMS.

Bridge, it now appears, is uncalled for, because the Eridge Trustees are likely to vote at their meeting on Monday in favor of the change. President on Monday in favor of the change. Fresident Howeil says that the Board has the power to make the change without any action by the Legislature, and that, although two men are not absolutely needed on the front platform, the trustees will probably vote to give the lone guard a companion. If two men were on the lookout, in case of an accident to one of them the other would be there ready for action. The scheme has commended itself to several of the trustees, and is likely to be adopted before the Legislature makes it compulsory.

THIS MOTHER WATCHES HER SON.

Mrs. Fleumacher, a comely little woman and nother of a youthful son who recently decided to marry in accordance with the novelist's idea in these prosaic times, has secured a warrant for the arrest of her daughter-in-law, whom she charges with bigamy. The latter, Sadie Kreuten, was arrested at her home, No. 315 Central-ave., and remanded by Justice Harriman to await examination. Less than eight months ago young Fleumachet and the fair prisoner, it is said, were married. The young wife was arrested at the instigation of her young wife was arrested at the instigation of her mother-in-law, who charged that her daughter-in-law was harboring her son. After the disposition of the case the mother made an investigation, and learned that her boy was the husband of a married woman, who had another husband living in Philadelphia.

The mother immediately consuited with Justice Harriman. marry in accordance with the novelist's idea in

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ARMORY HALL GIVEN OVER TO BICYCLES

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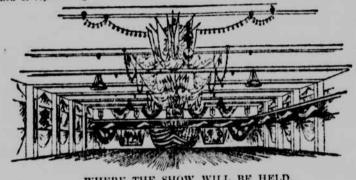
will be held in Armory Hall, as the Cycle Club of

National Board of Trade, and as that body in the neighborhood of New-York. The club under

THE INSTITUTION HAS RECEIVED LIT-THE SUPPORT FROM BROOKLYNITES.

OTHER TOWNS HAVE MADE GENEROUS OFFERS

do not seem disposed to do so. The Rev. M. G.



WHERE THE SHOW WILL BE HELD.

some of the largest and best known makers de-clined to go to the expense of exhibiting; but this makers whose product is ridden everywhere, but for just entered the field and who have yet The majority of these are manufacturers of wheels

ough along to show samples. This will give to the that should be sufficient to draw crowds and satisfy

benefit of the masses who have not seen one of those vehicles of the future. Near it will be an entirely new device sprung from the head of a sailor. cycle boat that he proposes, and the model which he will show looks as if something might be done with of three different gearings. The crop of inventions designed to solve the puncture problem in presumation tires has been large since the big shows, and it wil he represented by a number of ingenious specimens not only puncture-proof, but self-healing. A mysterious brake, which is invisible when on the wheel, something of which vague rumors have been until now, when it will come further to revolutionize bleycle brake building. Mysterious as this contriv-ance has been made, it is regarded by some of the biggest makers as thoroughly sound in principle and full of promise. Other novelties run in the lines of handle-bars, rid-

ing suits, pedals and lamps.

The armory has been elaborately dressed in flags and bunting. The decorations of the exhibitors will run to flags and drapings, and no electrical displays by individual exhibitors will be permitted. Most of those who have taken spaces will probably distributed as souvenire. The atrong local tone which has been given the show is one that will be appreclated by Brooklynites, and there will be something to attract

the same visitors night after night.

To-morrow night at the Cycle Show has been designated as "society night," and a fashionable crush is expected. Mayor Wurster, who is a member of the club, will deliver the opening address. He will be introduced by Park Commissioner Woodruff, who is also a member of the club. There is a long list

is also a member of the club. There is a long list of specially invited guests whose names are familiar to newspaper readers, and assurances have been given that they will attend. It is probable that every night of this Brooklyn show will be more generally a dress affair than was the case with the cosmopolitan gathering at the big show in New-York. Tuesday night the clubmen of the city will be out in force, as that night has been assigned to the Arsociated Cycling Clubs of Long Island.

Wednesday night is set for the appearance of members of the League of American Wheelmen, and Thursday night for the Good Roads Association. Because of the entirely local character of the latter organization and of the excellent work it has done in the city, a special concession has been granted by the managers of the show, and on Thursday night every member will be entitled to free admission upon showing a membership card. Friday night has been marked off for Long Island visitors, in order that those living nearer to Montauk Point than Brooklyn is may visit the show in parties and have special railroad accommodations. These special rights are to be made strong features of the show, and so intensify the local tone.

Saturday night the Cycle Club has reserved for its own use, and it will be a special night for the members to meet about the booths. The list of exhibitors, nearly but not quite complete, is as follows: Humber & Co., Abraham & Straus, Davis Sewing Machine Co., Olympic Cycle Co., Speniding & Pepper Co., George N. Perce Co., Sterling Cycle Co., Bening Cycle Co., George N. Perce Co., Cood Roads Association, Whitman Saddle Co., Ascociated Cycling Clubs of Long Island, Crystal Optical Co., H. H. Kiffe, Dreyfuss & Watermann and Dunham Bros.

MR. BULLIVAN WANTS TO KNOW.

HE IS TRYING TO DISCOVER JUST WHAT MR. AUSTIN'S BILL MEANS.

Postmaster Sullivan and his assistants will witha few days try to find out just what there is of the bill that Assemblyman Austin introduced by request at Albany, providing that the New-York Parcel Dispatch Company shall have power to carry operations under the law of 1868, providing for The bill further provides that the laying of tubes of the company in New-York City shall be supervised by the Rapid Transit Commission, and that

are Jersey City and Arlington, in New-Jersey; South Manchester, Conn., and Mount Vernon and Peekskill, N. Y.
New-Britain, Conn., has also been considered as an especially favorable site for the college, as there are many prominent and influential Lutherans there. New-Britain has not yet made a definite bid for the college, but it is probable that it will do so soon. Mr. Johnson and his associates are carefully considering the advantages offered by the competing towns, but will not immediately decide, although they are determined to leave Brooking before the oriening of the next college year in September. Mr. Johnson, who is prominently connected with both the college and the church, will remain in Brookin as the pastor of the church.

The Szedish Lutheran College offers a four years' course of instruction, and prepares its students to

The Swedish Lutheran College offers a four years' course of instruction, and prepares its students to enter the sophomore classes of most American colleges. Although all its pupils are Swedes, English is the language spoken in the classroom. The Swedish language is taught, as are other modern languages and the classics.

LEGISLATORS IN BROOKLYN.

THE JOINT ARMORY COMMITTEE MAKES A TOUR OF INSPECTION.

WORK IS NOT COMPLETED AND THEY MAY

The Joint Armory Appropriation Investigating Committee, representing the Senate Finance Committee and the Assembly Ways and Means Comby of Ogdensburg, Charles L. Guy, of New-York City, Walter L. Brown, of Oneonta, and Assembly-men John M. Zurn, of Brooklyn; George S. Horton, of Wayne County, and Mortimer N. Cole, of Wyoblyman Abram C. DeGraw, of Brooklyn, was also with the party during part of the time it was in Brooklyn, as were Colonel Alexis C. Smith, of the 23d Regiment, and Majors D. K. Case and Henry C Everdell, and Lieutenant H. DeW. Hamilton. Colonel John G. Eddy, of the 47th Regiment; Quartermaster Charles A. Chase and Commissary John G. Herold, jr., were also with the joint committee part of the time. The committee, in its visit of inspection to examine the needs upon which applications for appropriations are based, was to have visited the armories of the 47th and the 23d Regiments. The committeemen visited the 47th's armory, and afterward they went to the armory of the 13th, in order to see the contrast that existed however. Brooklyn hospitality was too much for them. After they had seen the 47th Armory, and gone to the 13th Armory, they were tired, and so went to luncheon at the Union League Club, in Bedford-ave., within two blocks of the 23d Regi ment Armory.

ment Armory.

An hour or so was spent at inncheon with the entertainers, and then the committeemen got into their cabs and drove to the Horel Metropole, New-York City, whence they will return to Albany today or to-morrow.

A Tribune reporter saw several of the committeemen, who said that possibly they would have to make another trip to Brooklyn to examine the armory of the 23d Regiment. In speaking of the 4fth's armory, they expressed the plinion that the proposed improvements in that armory were badly needed, especially as far as sanitary details are concerned. They said that the 4fth's armory seemed to be far behind some of the others in some details. An appropriation of \$25,000 is asked for by the 4fth.

In the 23d's armorys ceiling and paint in the drill-room are needed, with another gallery. The fron gate at the armory entrance also needs apparatus for raising and lowering it. Ventiating apparatus and flues, with ceilings in the basement are needed also. The amount of appropriation required is about \$75,000.

Colonel Smith has received from Adjutant-General E. A. McAipin, a personal letter in which the General speaks of the review of Colonel Smith's regiment in the following flattering terms:

"I wish to congratulate you upon your command, I expected great things when I went over there, but my expectations were more than realized. The steadiness and discipline displayed by the men are very creditable, and I am frank to say it was the best and pretitest review I have witnessed since I have been in my present place."

This is high praise from an officer who has reviewed the "dandy Seventh."

LAND FOR GREENWOOD CEMETERY.

The Greenwood Cemetery Corporation will in the have for some time desired in order that the boundary line of the burying ground might be boundary line of the burying ground might be straightened. There has been a question as to the right of the cemetery association to purchase additional land, and it was said that the association's charter forbade the acquiring of new territory. Governor Morton has, however, signed the bill introduced in the Legislature by Assemblyman Wagstaff, and there are now no legal barriers in the way of the purchase.

The desired plots are on the Gravesend-ave, side of the cemetery. They will be added to the burying ground, not because more land is needed for burial plots, but in order to complete the symmetry and beauty of the cemetery.

WHEELMEN NOMINATE OFFICERS. A lively meeting of the South Brooklyn Whee'-

Brocklyn, on Friday night. The club decided to retain its present headquarters for another year. The annual election will take place on April 3, and the nominations made are as follows: For president.

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tumes, at 85c. 20 in. warp print Taffeta, \$1.25.

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We have never before shown such a beautiful line of dress fabrics as will be exhibited to-morrow. The latest effects in Spring styles, colorings, and designs. Here are a few particularly worthy of men-

tion: 48 in. Mohairs and Siciliennes at \$1.50 to

Two-toned Epingaline, 46 in., at \$1.85. Mohair Crepe, 46 in., at \$3.50. Persian and Dresden novelties, 50 in., at

Choice and exclusive designs in Challies.

MEN'S FURNISHINGS. Will offer to-morrow a large assortment of fine

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BLACK GOODS.

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Will offer a new lot of Ludies' Percale Shirt Waists in pink, blue and black stripes and figures in exclusive styles, at \$1.00 each.

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Jackets and Capes for Spring of 1896. DRESS SKIRTS, the new shapes in Serge, Cheviot and Brilliantine, all lined, at \$4.75. In Satin Duchesse and Brocaded Silks and

We are showing our first installment

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clusive tan, brown and gray mixtures, at \$15.00 to \$60.00. Cotton Dress Fabrics.

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Dresden Figures. New designs in 32-in. Printed Jaconets and Lawns, at 121/20. yd.

GLOVES. FOR MONDAY. Ladies' English Walking Gloves at \$1.00.

Ladies' 2-clasp P. K., in tan and red, at \$1.00. We are showing our spring assortment of "J. & B." Gloves in all the new shades, at THE LATEST NOVELTY IN

Ostrich Feather Boas.

of Ostrich Feather Boas, 11/2 yds. long, with Ostrich Feather tails. With 4 tails.....\$13.75 With 5 talls.....\$16.50

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11/2 in. wide, with sterling silver buckles, slid

black and white, and brown and white at 25c., 35c., and 45c. yd

Also Brown Linen Duck at 25e., 30e., and 35c. ye

Linen Grass Cloths at 18e., 20e., 25e., 35e. yd. A large collection of Colored Linens, 36 in. wide in pink, blue, garnet, brown and salmon.

HAMBURG EDGINGS.

Will place on sale to-morrow 5,000 yds. of Hamburg Edgings in 41/2 yds. lengths, value from 25c. to 30c., at 15c. yd.

LEATHER GOODS. The "Quakers" " hand and shopping bag, a new and very convenient article, in silk, coze calf,

grain, seal and lizard leathers, with gilt and

nickel trimmings, at \$1.25 to \$5.75 each. BLANKETS. Double Bed Size Marseilles Quilts, new De-

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AN ENTERPRISING BURGLAR.

FOUR HOUSES IN A ROW IN QUINCY-ST. ENTERED-A LARGE LOT OF TABLE-WARE STOLEN.

Four burglaries in one block were reported yester-day morning at Police Headquarters. The field of labor chosen by the midnight marauder was Quincy-st., between Franklin and Bedford aves., and the houses entered were those of Mrs. Francis E. Hennett, at No. 138; Edwin A. Rockwell, No. 138; Frank J. Purcupile, No. 140, and Mr. Haase, of No. 142 Quincy-st. It is believed that the thief began operations at Mrs. Bennett's house, where he found fourteen silver spoons, a silver-plated cruet stand, a quantity of table linen, and several articles of little value. He overlooked several solid silver tablespoons which were within his reach. In Mr. Rock well's house he secured a quantity of sliverware and jewelry, and also carried away every article of Mr. Rockwell's clothing that he could find, including half a dozen pleces of underclothing, a new chevior suit, a dressing gown and a pair of shoes. Among the other things that attracted his eye were some hat pins, which he found in Miss Rockwell's hat on the hall rack, a flask of fine old whiskey, and some equally good Havana cigare, which he smoked while doing his work. Mrs. Rockwell's wash-basket was used as a receptacle for the plunder.

The visit to Mr. Purcupile's house was brief but profitable. Another collection of clothing and several pieces of silverware were added to his load. The last place on his calling list was Mr. Hasse's house, where he appropriated a black ulster, a pair of gold earrings and a collection of solid silver spoons, napkin rings and forks. The thief succeeded in escaping without awakening a person in any one of the four houses. He must have had an accomplice or a horse and wagon to assist him in removing the stuff.

Captain Martin and his men in the Fourth Precinct, including Detective-Sergeant Shaughnessy, are investigating the case, but have had no luck in tracing the burglar. well's house he secured a quantity of silverware and

MORE COUNTERFEITERS CAUGHT.

Four Italians, Giuseppe Mastuello, Tomasso Capaxinna, Felix Baritaglia and Antonio Tarramerio, were arrested in a saloon at No. 54 Union-st., on Friday afternoon, charged with counterfeiting half dollars. Acting Detective Donovan had had his eye on the Itelians for a month or more, and had set a little trap, into which they readily fell. He found out that counterfeit coin was on sale, and negotiated with Baritaglia for a purchase. He was informed that \$100 of the spurious money could be had for \$32. He bargained for \$50 of it. He made an appointment with the Italian for 3 o'clock on Friday afternoon in the Union-st. saloon, and at that time kept his engagement, taking with him Detectives Rall, Rorke, Kelly and Clougher. After

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the bargain had been completed, Baritaglia and the the proprietor of the saloon. Adams Street Police Court for examination on Monday on the charge of counterfeiting United States currency. Ball was placed at \$3,000, although As-stant District-Attorney Miles asked to have the amount made \$5,000.

FAINTED AT THE DRILL PUBLIC SCHOOLBOYS TRIED TO DO TOO MUCH A

MEMBERS OF THE AMERICAN GUARD.

14th Regiment Armory on Friday afternoon for their first drill as members of the American Guard. Sergeant Hazzard, seventeen years old, of Lenox Road, had been detailed to give the boys their drill. The young soldiers, who are from nine to fifteen years old, were divided into two companies, and marched up and down the floor for about an hour. Shortly before the time for the close of the dril. Charles Morin, twelve years old, fainted and fell to the floor. Morin, twelve years old, fainted and fell to the noor. He was taken to one of the company rooms, where he revived in a few minutes. He had scarcely left the armory before Ferlo Waters, fifteen years old, also fell and had to be carried out. It was a more difficult matter to bring him back to consciousness, and his companions have been provided in companions. and his companions became seriously alarmed at his condition. The boy's father said yesterday morning that he believed that the youth's temporary illness had resulted from the severity of the drill, and it is also thought that young Morin's fainting fit was the result of exhaustion. It is said that the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children will investigate the case.